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Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter regards patent application 09/652,387. I am writing to **beg** for your help!

I would like to understand why there has been no activity for the past 2 years on my petition to revive my patent application. The handling by the PTO does not make sense to me.

- 06/2004: I wrote to explain that the examiner was misinterpreting "commercial message" as a data type, when I intended it to be understood as an "advertising message".

- 07/2004: The examiner wrote that it would require continued examination.

- 09/2004: I submitted an RCE, noted as received by the PTO.

- 11/2004: The examiner sent an abandonment notice. **Why?** I had just responded with the RCE.

- 01/2005: I entered a petition to revive the application, noted as received by the PTO.

To-date: I have seen no further activity.

Please - What can I do to get this application back on-track?

Regards,

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